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Chinese Cucumber Is Disease Resistant

Here's a new find for Grower readers... a cucumber which can be grown right on through the summer in many parts of the state. The variety is known as the "Chinese" and also as the "Chinese Long Green." Very few seedsmen list it, but they will during the next few seasons.

For some reason this cucumber is immune to ordinary cucumber diseases. On land free from rootknot and with an adequate supply of moisture (but possessing proper drainage) this new, unusual cucumber will thrive at any time, except of course when there are frosts.

Not only do the cucumbers often grow two feet long, but they'll average around 15 inches in length. The "cukes" are mostly very slender and when it comes to flavor the new variety appears miles ahead of any other sort grown.

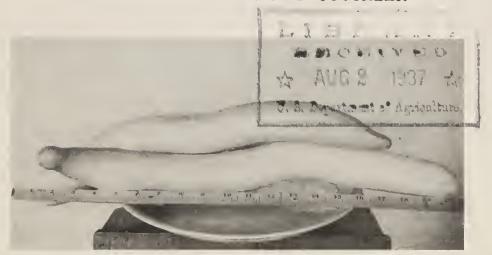
Pictured herewith is Herb Mosher, home gardener, with an average-sized "Chinese" cucumber harvested in the Orlando district in late June. This "cuke" was enough for several salads.

While there is no telling just what the new variety will offer to commercial growers, in any case for home gardeners and small truckers it appears to be in a class by itself. The grocers in most towns and cities—once they are familiar with the big cukes—buy them as fast as they'll grow on the vines.

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